

I. **AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION**

On page 1, just prior to paragraph [0001], please add the following:

Cross-Reference to Related Applications

[0001] This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. section 119(e) from co-pending U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/502,026, filed September 11, 2003, naming Paul Stanuch and Kermit Anthony Wold as inventors, and titled "DISC SPRING PUMP COMPENSATOR".